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In re Application of: Min-Hao Kuo

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This is responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts regarding compliance with requirements for patent applications containing nucleotide sequence and/or amino acid sequence disclosures," mailed May 18, 2004 and setting a two-month period for response which ended on July 18, 2004. Prior to examination of the instant application, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this communication.

Remarks are on page 3 of this communication.